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Online Adult Programs and Book Groups

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January 2021

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Monday, January 11 7 pm

Chair Yoga with Nancy Wind

Celebrate 2021 by reconnecting your mind and body through this gentle yoga class. We'll be sitting on a chair and using it for support. Breathe, move, be present and relieve some of your stress. Yoga is for everyone. Nancy Wind is a health coach and 200-hour yoga Instructor. Her interest in Ayurveda and living with the cycles of nature brings balance to her life and has become the prescription for her personal wellness. In 2015, Nancy founded Peaks and Poses Trail Yoga to combine her love for yoga and the outdoors.

Tuesday, January 26 7 pm

Adult Craft Kit/Tutorial: Window Stars

Let a little color into the winter with a translucent paper star for your window. Often called a "Waldorf" star and popular as school window decorations, these stars are made with folded squares of kite or "glassine" paper and glue. Instructions and paper are included in the kit , or you can join us on Zoom to learn and craft together. You provide glue (preferably a stick) and the ability to fold a piece of paper. Register for a kit and a pickup time. Registration opens January 1.

Thursday, January 28 7 pm

ADHD in the Family: Understanding ADHD in Children and Adults

"He's so smart, why is school such a struggle?" "Why does she always stir up the family?" "Why is my partner so unreliable?" This program is for anyone who lives with someone who has diagnosed—or even suspected—ADHD. Linda King is a former elementary school teacher who holds advanced certifications in ADHD coaching, and has nearly a decade of experience working with ADHD individuals and families. Her presentation gives an overview of ADHD and its effects, along with concrete methods for living with ADHD. She'll cover symptoms and statistics, treatments and challenges, risks and even gifts.

Registration begins January 10 for a virtual ASL Basics Class
Sign up through the Events menu on our homepage for four 45-minute sessions starting February 1 at 7 p.m.

Ongoing: Needlework/Handwork (Jan. 6); Social Justice Book Group (Jan. 7, 21); Poetry Workshop (Jan. 7, 21); Noon Book Group (Jan. 8); Evening Book Group (Jan. 18)

The Library will close at 3 pm on December 31 and remain closed through January 1. The Library will also be closed on Monday, January 18 for Martin Luther King Day.

Ongoing Programs

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4th/5th Grade Parent Child Book Group

This month we will discuss *White Bird* by R.J. Palacio over Zoom. For 4th and 5th graders with a parent. Register online.

6th/7th Grade Book Group

This month we will discuss *The Ballad of Songbirds and Snakes* by Suzanne Collins (Rescheduled from December). For 6th and 7th graders. We will meet over Zoom. Register online.

January Special Programs

Explore All Colors with Ms. Elise

Ms. Elise will lead children in an interactive exploration of all the colors. There will be stories, activities, and a scavenger hunt! For ages 4 and up. Register online. 45 mins.

Winter is Here!: Zoom Storytime with Ms. Elise

Ms. Elise will lead children in an interactive exploration of winter. There will be stories, activities, and a scavenger hunt! For ages 4 and up. Register online. 45 mins.

What Do Animals Do in the Snow? Zoom Storytime

Ms. Elise will lead children in an interactive exploration of how animals survive the winter. There will be stories, activities, and a scavenger hunt! For ages 4 and up. Register online. 45 mins.

Gen Z Virtual Trivia Night

Tweens and Teens trivia night! We'll meet over Zoom for trivia about movies, sports, science, pop culture, and more. Play on your own or gather your friends on a virtual team. For ages 9-19. Register online.

Llamas! Stories and Crafts with Ms. Elise

Ms. Elise will read llama stories and engage children with a super fun llama craft. We will arrange for you to pick up a craft kit in advance of this program. For ages 4 and up. Register online. 45 mins.

Bedtime Storytime

Join Ms. Carly for bedtime songs and stories. This program can be viewed live on our Facebook page. Best for ages 0-5 but all welcome. 30 mins.

Coming in February!

Teen Winter Reading Challenge

Throughout February, Wayland teens can earn raffle tickets for prizes by completing reading and activity challenges. At the end of the challenge we will draw names to pick the prize winners. Learn more at waylandlibrary.beanstack.com

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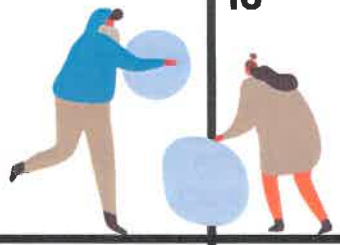
10	11	12 **10:30AM** Facebook Live Storytime **4:00PM** Social Justice Storytime **7:00PM** 4th/5th Grade Parent/Child Book Group on Zoom	13 **3:00PM** Winter is Here!: Zoom Storytime with Ms. Elise	14 **10:30AM** StoryVine Moves to Zoom **1:30 PM** Kids Yoga on Facebook	15 	16
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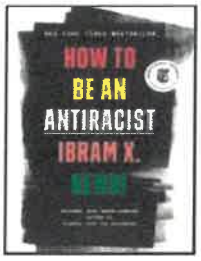
WAYLAND READS

With the issues of racism and social justice hotly debated throughout the country, the 2021 edition of Wayland Reads focuses on bestselling author Ibram X. Kendi's *How to Be an Antiracist*. According to Prof. Kendi's website, his memoir "...asks us to think about what an antiracist society might look like, and how we can play an active role in building it."



Younger readers can join the conversation by reading Kendi's and Jason Reynolds' "remix" of his earlier book, *Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You*.

Events will include related author talks (see below) and book discussion groups. If you're interested in leading one of the latter, please contact cmichael@minlib.net. Copies of the books will be available at the library. Keep an eye on waylandlibrary.org—and this space—for further details.

WAYLAND READS

Thursday, February 4 7 pm

Author Talk: *White Freedom*

Taking readers from the Age of Revolution to today, Prof. Tyler Stovall of Fordham University challenges the notion that racism is somehow a contradiction within the democratic tradition, demonstrating how white identity is intrinsic to Western ideas about liberty. *In partnership with Tewksbury Public Library, and Memorial Hall Library, Andover.*

WAYLAND READS

Monday, February 22 7 pm

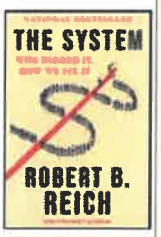
The Power of Protest Images in the Black Freedom Struggle

Dr. Brenna Greer of Wellesley College leads a virtual tour of the significant images, protest signs, and social media posts that have come out of the civil rights movement and Black Lives Matter movement. *In partnership with the Merrimack Valley Libraries Working Towards Social Justice.*

Thursday, February 11 7 pm

Author Talk: *The System—Who Rigged it, How We Fix It* by Robert B. Reich

Millions of Americans have lost confidence in our political and economic system. With the characteristic clarity and passion that have made him a central civil voice, Reich shows how wealth and power have interacted to install an elite oligarchy, eviscerate the middle class, and undermine democracy. Space is limited. Login information will be sent the day of the event. *In partnership with the Newton Free Library.*



Sunday, February 28 2 pm **Early Farm and Craft Tools**

Using 18th and 19th century tools from the Wayland Museum, Jack Russell of the Wayland Historical Society provides an overview of craft, farm and domestic tools that would have been found in a New England village in this region before the days of electric power.

Ongoing: Needlework/Handwork (Feb. 3); Noon Book Group (Feb. 12); Evening Book Group (Feb. 1); Social Justice Book Group (Feb. 18); Poetry Workshop (Feb. 4, 18); Ukulele Club (Feb. 1, 8, 15, 22)

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7 Earn raffle tickets for prizes during the Teen Winter Reading Challenge! See reverse for details	8 **1:00PM** Mindfulness Class for Preschoolers with Adult	9 **10:30AM** Facebook Live Storytime **4:00PM** Social Justice Storytime **7:00PM** 4th/5th Grade Book Group on Zoom	10 **10:30AM** Baby Signing with Sheryl on Zoom **3:00PM** Valentine's Day Storytime with Ms. Elise	11 **10:30AM** StoryVine Moves to Zoom **1:30 PM** Kids Yoga on Facebook	12	13
14	15 **Library Closed**	16 **View between 9:00AM-8:00PM** Pumpernickel Puppets Virtual Show **10:30AM** Facebook Live Storytime	17 **10:30AM** Baby Signing with Sheryl on Zoom **3:00PM** Chinese New Year Story and Craft with Ms. Elise	18 **10:30AM** StoryVine Moves to Zoom **2:00PM** Creating Autobiographical Comics with Jonathan Todd	19	20
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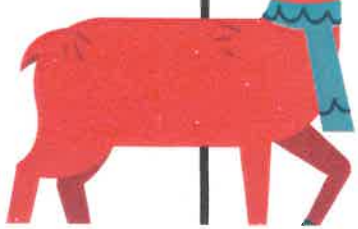
28			For programs that require registration, visit our Events Calendar at waylandlibrary.org			

Ongoing Programs

Sing-along with Jeannie Mack on Zoom

Jeannie Mack will perform all kinds of fun, bounce-around, sing-along songs geared for young children. For babies, toddlers, and preschoolers. 45 mins. Register online.

StoryVine on Zoom with Ms. Pam

Join Ms. Pam on Zoom for stories, songs, puppets, and crafts. This interactive story time is for ages 2.5 to 5 years. 30 mins. Register online.

Facebook Live Storytime with Ms. Carly

Children and their caregivers will listen to stories, sing songs, and perform fun rhymes and movements. This program can be viewed live on our Facebook page. For babies through preschool age. 30 mins.

Kids Yoga on Facebook

Sonia Gomez from Serfi Yoga will give a yoga class for toddlers to age 5. Visit our Facebook page to view this program! 45 mins.

Social Justice Storytime

Join Ms. Carly for this story time featuring books and songs that offer children and caregivers tools for meaningfully engaging with topics like anti-racism, LGBTQ+ rights, and the Black Lives Matter movement. For children ages 3-7. Register online. 30 mins.

4th/5th Grade Parent Child Book Group

This month we will discuss *You Don't Know Everything, Jilly P.!* by Alex Gino over Zoom. For 4th and 5th graders with a parent. Register online. 60 mins.

February Special Programs

Teen Winter Reading Challenge

This month, teens can earn raffle tickets by reading, attending virtual programs, and completing activity challenges on our user friendly Beanstack page. We will be raffling off gift cards and teens can add their raffle tickets to the drawings of their choice. When the challenge is over we will draw names to pick the winners. Automatically earn a gift card by signing up for the challenge at waylandlibrary.beanstack.com.

Mindfulness Class for Preschoolers with Adult

Parent educator Sheryl White will practice mindfulness with children via Zoom, while modeling for the adults how to encourage their children to be more aware and in the present moment. For ages 3-6 with caregiver. Register online. 45 mins.

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Baby Signing with Sheryl on Zoom

Sheryl White of Baby Kneads will teach you to teach American Sign Language to your baby! Each week participants will bring props to class so that Sheryl can help you bring this virtual program to life. For ages 6 months to preverbal with caregiver. Register online. 45 mins.

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Pumpernickel Puppets Virtual Show

Pumpernickel Puppets presents a virtual show of The Three Billy Goats Gruff and the Lion and the Mouse! A link to watch the performance will be shared and can be viewed between 9:00am-8:00pm on the day of the show. Register online. 45 mins.

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Creating Autobiographical Comics with Jonathan Todd

Local artist Jonathan Todd will lead a virtual workshop for tweens on creating autobiographical comics. Each participant will receive an art kit in advance of the workshop. Registration required. Choose your pickup window for the art kit during registration. For ages 9 and up.

Social Justice Book Group for Teens

This month we will be talking about *Stamped: Racism, Antiracism, and You* by Jason Reynolds. This book is a remix of *Stamped from the Beginning* by Ibram X. Kendi. For 8th graders and up. Register online.

This book discussion is a part of our Wayland Reads 2021 programming.

Baking for Good Bread Workshop

Amy Driscoll from King Arthur Flour will lead a bread baking workshop over Zoom. Flour, yeast, and baking materials provided for each child. Registration required. Choose your pickup window for the baking kit during registration. For ages 9 and up.

Storytimes with Ms. Elise on Zoom

For ages 4 and up. 45 mins. Register online.

Let's Explore the Alphabet:

Join for ABC books, songs, and a scavenger hunt!

Valentine's Day:

Explore the best parts of love with songs, stories, and movement!

Chinese New Year:

It is the Year of the Ox! Children will learn about the Chinese New Year and about Nian, the Chinese New Year Dragon. Wear something RED! There will be a craft with this program so please choose your pickup window during registration.

Hats:

Make sure to bring a few favorite hats to wear during this story time,

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Book Discussion Groups via Zoom
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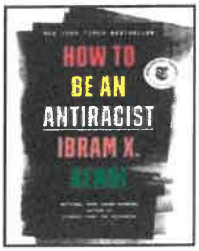

Wednesday, March 24 3 pm
Led by **Shaheen Akhtar**, member of the Outreach Committee of the Islamic Center of Boston in Wayland and interfaith liaison for the Muslim community at large.

Friday, March 26 10 am
Led by **Rachel Sideman-Kurtz** and **Karen Blumenfeld**, co-facilitators of the Wayland Human Rights Commission Study Group, and members of the Wayland Town Administrator's Advisory Group on Racial Justice.

Monday, March 29 11 am
Led by **Rev. Rebecca Cho**, pastor of Community United Methodist Church in Wayland since July 2019.

Wednesday, March 31 Noon
Led by **Rabbi Katy Z. Allen**, co-founder and President *pro-tem* of the Jewish Climate Action Network-MA.

Thursday, April 1 1:30 pm
Led by **Janot Mendler de Suarez**, member of the Town of Wayland Racial Justice Advisory group.

Tuesday, March 2 7:30 pm
Great Presenters: John Toto—The Freemasons: History, Secrets, and Future
A fascinating look into this intriguing, ancient society, courtesy of a highly-placed member.

Sunday, March 7 3 pm
From Seed to Table with Gardens by Renee
Learn how to plan and grow an organic kitchen food garden, including best practices and materials.

Tuesday, March 9 7 pm
The Four-Billion-Year Story of Wayland
The ground beneath our feet from creation to now, as seen by geologist Eamon McCarthy Earls.

Sunday, March 21 2 pm
Slavery in Wayland and Sudbury
Yes, we had it here, as explained by Jane Sciacca of the Wayland Historical Society.

Tuesday, March 23 7 pm
Spring Refresh! Home and Garden Organization
Cindy Jacobs shows you how to create a space of well-being and growth in your own backyard.

Friday, March 26 9 am
How to Libby
Get the most out of Overdrive's streamlined app for e-reading and -listening.

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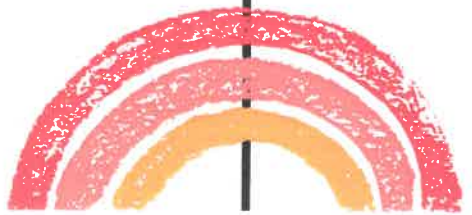
28	29 	30 **10:30AM** Facebook Live Storytime **4:00PM** Social Justice Storytime	31 **3:00PM** My Name Is: Storytime with Ms. Elise			 For programs that require registration, visit our Events Calendar at waylandlibrary.org

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Social Justice Book Group for Teens

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Storytime with Ms. Elise on Zoom

For ages 4 and up. 45 mins. Register online.

Where's My Bear?:

We will read stories about lost toys! Bring a favorite stuffie or toy for show and tell!

The Tortoise and the Hare:

Let's explore this old fable, learn about Aesop, and explore the intense world of competitions!

Kindness:

So many ways to be kind! Let's explore the importance of kindness as presented in several award-winning picturebooks, including *Last Stop on Market Street* by Matt de la Pena.

My Name Is:

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How to Catch a Leprechaun? STEAM Storytime

Read about leprechauns then design and build a leprechaun trap with Ms. Pam! Register online and to schedule a time to pick up your activity kit. (STEAM= Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math).
For ages 4 and up. 45 mins.

Kids Cooking Green: Eggs in a Basket

Yes, Dr. Seuss, there are green eggs, and brown eggs, and blue eggs too! We will cook with eggs, talk about the different chickens they come from, and take a short virtual trip to a local farm and learn about chickens and their eggs! Children will follow along and cook at home. This workshop is led by Kids Cooking Green. For kids ages 3-6 with adult. Register online and to receive the recipe in advance of the program. Participants supply their own ingredients.

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Bedtime Storytime

Join Ms. Carly for a Virtual Bedtime Story Time! Go to the Wayland Public Library's Facebook page for bedtime songs and stories. Wear your pajamas and watch with a favorite stuffed animal if you want! Best for ages 0-5 but all kids and their caregivers welcome. 30 mins.

Dungeons & Dragons Club: Session Zero

Wayland Teens are invited to the first meeting of our new Dungeons and Dragons Club. Session Zero will include a quick overview of D&D and a chance for players and the DM to get to know each other. This session will help determine what type of campaign players would like to have, as well as sharing any topics that they would like the campaign to avoid. The DM will walk people through creating their characters and will answer questions. We hope to meet every other week going forward. The DM is Wayland High School Freshman Davis Gruber. Youth Services Librarian Pam McCuen will be hosting the event on Zoom. Register online. For ages 13 and up. Questions? Please email Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net

Gen Z Virtual Trivia Night

This trivia night is for the tweens and teens of Generation Z! We will meet over Zoom for trivia about movies, sports, science, pop culture, and more. Play on your own or gather your friends on a virtual team.
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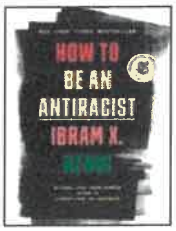
WAYLAND READS

Wayland Reads 2021's title is Ibram X. Kendi's *How to Be an Antiracist*. Copies are available at the library.



Thursday, April 1 1:30 pm Book Discussion Group

Led by **Janot Mendler de Suarez**, member of the Town of Wayland Racial Justice Advisory group.

Sunday, April 11 3 pm Author Talk: *Against Civility*

According to author Alex Zamalin, the idea of civility has always been wielded to silence dissent, repress political participation, and justify violence. Citizens who care deeply about racial and socio-economic equality need to abandon this concept of discreet politeness. Author of several other books, Zamalin is the director of the African American Studies Program and Assistant Professor of political science at the University of Detroit Mercy.

Thursday, April 22 7 pm Panel Discussion: *Race, Monuments, and Memory*

What does it mean to remove historical monuments? What did they symbolize to the people who erected them? What do they mean to us today? Join us for a discussion addressing these questions and more with Stacen Goldman, Framingham History Center; Prof. Angel David Nieves of Northeastern U.; Shawn Quigly, National Park Service Ranger; and Prof. Kabria Baumgartner of the University of New Hampshire.

Monday, April 5 7 pm

Medicinal Herb Gardening: What to Grow

The right herbal "superstars" can treat common ailments like colds and flu, inflammation, minor cuts, muscle spasms, poor digestion, and many more. But how do you even start a medicinal herb garden? Ehris Urban and Velya Jancz-Urban, the "green witches" of the Grounded Goodwife website, will get you started on the path to natural wellness through herbs you grow yourself.

Tuesday, April 13 7 pm

Exploring a Human Rights Commission

Join us to understand what human rights commissions are and how they foster a safe, welcoming community. Given efforts are underway to create a municipal HRC in Wayland, Prof. Martha Davis of Northeastern University's School of Law will share the merits of human rights commissions, what they do, and how they function effectively.

Thursday, April 29 7 pm Women in World Jazz

An international, all-female ensemble showcases music from Cuba's cha cha to Cape Verde's Coladeira, as well as songs from Israel, Brazil and Japan, and jazz favorites. Enjoy a taste of different cultures through music and dance. Presented by The Friends of the Wayland Public Library, The Randall Library Friends Association, and The Friends of the Maynard Library.

Ongoing: Racial Equity Study Group (4/1, 8); Poetry Workshop (4/1, 15); Needlework/Handwork (4/7); Noon Book Group (4/9); Chair Yoga (4/12); Great Decisions (4/16); Social Justice Book Group (4/15); Evening Book Group (4/19); Dystopian/Sci-Fi Book Group (4/22)

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April 2021 Events for Kids & Teens

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Facebook Live Storytime with Ms. Carly

Children and their caregivers will listen to stories, sing songs, and perform fun rhymes and movements. This program can be viewed live on our Facebook page. For babies through preschool age. 30 mins.

Kids Yoga on Facebook

Sonia Gomez from Serfi Yoga will give a yoga class for toddlers to age 5. Visit our Facebook page to view this program! 45 mins.

Social Justice Storytime

Join Ms. Carly on Zoom for a story time that centers social justice issues! This family friendly story time will feature books and songs that offer children and caregivers tools for meaningfully engaging with topics like anti-racism, LGBTQ+ rights, and the Black Lives Matter movement. Best for children ages 3-7. Register online. 30 mins.

4th/5th Grade Parent Child Book Group

This month we will discuss *The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle* by Avi over Zoom. For 4th and 5th graders with a parent. Register online.

Storytime with Ms. Elise on Zoom

For ages 4 and up. 45 mins. Register online.

Food:

Feeling hungry? We will read stories about delicious foods from many different cultures.

Grandparents:

Join for stories about the relationships children and grandparents share.

Celebrate Earth Day:

Ms. Elise will read stories about taking care of our Earth and will also lead children in a craft. Register online to schedule a time to pick up the craft kit.

Diverse Abilities:

We will read stories about people with diverse abilities.

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Kids Cooking Green: Seeded Chocolate Bark

Combine fruit with chocolate and seeds & you have a delicious treat! We will learn about seeds and make a virtual visit to a local farm. Participants will be sent a recipe with a list of ingredients and recommended kitchen utensils in advance of the workshop. This workshop is led by Kids Cooking Green. For kids ages 3-6 with adult. Register online.

This event is funded in part through The Mind in the Making Grant, federal funds provided by the Institute of Museum and Library Services as administered by the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

World of Reptiles with Joy Marzolf

What is the difference between a lizard and a snake or a crocodile and an alligator? Can turtles really leave their shells like they do in the cartoons? Are snakes really slimy? Learn more about our wonderful scaly friends and meet some reptile special guests. Joy Marzolf from The Joys of Nature will lead this program over Zoom. For ages 3 and up. Register online. 30 mins.

Pop-Up Parking Lot Library

Stop by the library on Wednesday afternoons between 1-4pm for in-person browsing of popular and new materials, plus fresh air! Maintain 6 ft. if there is a line. Wear a mask & hand sanitizer will be provided prior to browsing. Remember to bring your library card! Weather permitting.

Be an Earth Day Hero!

Earth Day is April 22nd but let's celebrate all week long! The weekend before Earth Day we will share a special Earth Week Bingo sheet full of fun ideas for caring for our environment like making Earth art, recycling, and looking for wildlife. Challenge yourself to check off enough boxes to declare BINGO and become an Earth Day Hero! We will post the bingo sheet online and copies will be available at our curbside pickup area. Kids ages 4 and up can also sign up for an Earth Day story time and take home craft with Ms. Elise on Wednesday April 21st.

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Great Presenters

Tuesday, May 4 7:30 pm

(Un)blocked: Breaking Barriers to Creativity with Peter Curran

Drawing on over fifteen years in the visual arts classroom, artist and WMS teacher Pete Curran identifies a collection of strategies to achieve authentic and meaningful outcomes of the creative process. You'll gain a handful of new tools for your own creative toolkit, as well as a deeper appreciation for the creative power of our community's young artists.

Friday, May 14 7 pm

Schitt's Creek Trivia Night

Calling all disgruntled Pelicans! Pour yourself a glass of Herb Ertlinger banana rosé as we meet over Zoom for several rounds of trivia about this beloved Canadian comedy show. Play on a team with your housemates, gather your Jazzagals virtually, or play on your own if you're "trying very hard not to connect with people right now." Teams should be capped at six players. Prizes will be awarded to the top-scoring team, so cease your pettifogging and register now!

Tuesday, May 25 7 pm

The 10 Warning Signs of Alzheimer's

Alzheimer's and other dementias cause changes in memory, thinking, and behavior that interfere with daily life. Join us to learn about 10 common warning signs and what to watch for in yourself and others. The one-hour program covers typical age-related changes; common warning signs of Alzheimer's; how to approach someone about memory concerns; early detection; the benefits of a diagnosis and the diagnostic process; and useful resources. Presented by the Alzheimer's Association.

Thursday, May 27 7 pm

Virtual Play Reading: *Arsenic and Old Lace*

In Joseph Kesselring's classic black comedy, a drama critic discovers that his sweet little old aunts have a habit of poisoning elderly gentlemen and burying them in the cellar. Join in the fun as we read it aloud in a Zoom gathering. If you'd like to play a role, call the library to reserve a copy and arrange a pickup time. We'll assign parts (double-cast, no doubt) once everyone is assembled.

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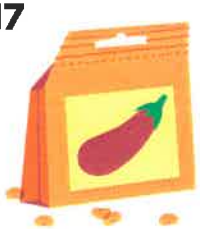
16	17 	18 **10:30AM** Facebook Live Storytime **4:00PM** Social Justice Storytime **7:00PM** Social Justice Book Group for Teens	19 **3:00PM** All Are Welcome: Storytime with Ms. Elise	20 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime **3:30PM** Outdoor STEAM TEAM	21	22
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4th/5th Grade Parent Child Book Group

This month we will discuss *The Benefits of Being an Octopus* by Ann Braden over Zoom. For 4th and 5th graders with a parent. Register online.

Social Justice Book Group for Teens

This month we will be talking about *With the Fire on High* by Elizabeth Acevedo. For 8th graders and up. Register online.

Storytime with Ms. Elise on Zoom

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Outdoor Storytime

Join Ms. Pam OUTSIDE for stories, songs, puppets, and activities. This interactive storytime encourages language development, socialization and fun. We will meet outside on the green lawn behind the library. Face masks are required for all participants during this program. We will assist in maintaining social distancing but encourage attendees to bring along a picnic blanket or a lawn chair. Registration is required. For ages 4 and up with an adult. This event is weather permitting. Register online. 30 mins.

Outdoor STEAM TEAM

Join Ms. Pam for stories celebrating the sights and sounds of nature. Children will design and create their own wind chimes. We will meet outside on the green lawn behind the library. Face masks are required for all participants during this program. We will assist in maintaining social distancing but encourage attendees to bring along a picnic blanket or a lawn chair. Registration is required. For ages 4 and up with an adult. This event is weather permitting. 45 mins.

Outdoor Kids Craft: Patchwork Houses

Kids are invited for an afternoon of outdoor crafting on the library lawn! Each participant will be provided with their own set of collage materials for decorating a cardboard patchwork house. Face masks are required for all participants during this program. We will assist in maintaining social distancing but encourage attendees to bring along a picnic blanket or a lawn chair. Registration is required. This event is weather permitting. Register online. 30 mins.

Coming Soon: 2021 Summer Reading Program!

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Great Presenters

Tuesday, June 1 7:30 pm

Let's Talk About Race and Equity in the Suburbs with Rebecca Smoler

Even if we want to talk about race, we often avoid it for fear of saying the wrong thing or being labeled as racist. In this workshop, Rebecca Smoler will present strategies for engaging in conversations on race and racism, and provide resources on antiracism efforts in Wayland and the Metrowest area. Rebecca is a public school curriculum coordinator and the co-founder of Wayland Community for Social Justice.

Your Stories: COVID-19 in Wayland

We have experienced a historic moment that has affected the entire world. What impact has the pandemic had on *you*? Facts and figures will be recorded, but it is our personal stories that will give future historians and Wayland citizens a better sense of what life was like during this time. That's where you come in. We've created a short survey for you to record your thoughts and experiences. If you have more to share, such as photographs, documents, artwork, videos, etc., please email them to mwright@minlib.net. We'd especially like to see photos of how community spaces have changed, and learn how you have practiced social distancing. *Look for the blog post on our home page, as well as under the "About Us" menu.*

Thursday, June 24 3 pm

Adult Craft: Mini Macrame Plant Hanger

Channel your 1970s self by creating a simple mini-macrame plant holder! Register by June 19th for a kit and a pickup day. Instructions are included, and/or join us on Zoom to learn and craft together! The kit includes glass jar, rope or twine, sand or rocks, air plant, and instructions. You provide tape, clipboard or binder clip to hold your project still.

Explore Our New Databases

Get crafty with Creativebug. Our newest database offers more than a thousand video classes in drawing, painting, sketchbooking, sewing, quilting, knitting, jewelry making, and much more, taught by top artists, designers, and crafters. A world of creativity awaits you.

Little Pim for little language learners. This engaging platform for kids up to 6 makes learning a new language fun and easy.

You'll find both under "Online Resources" on our home page.

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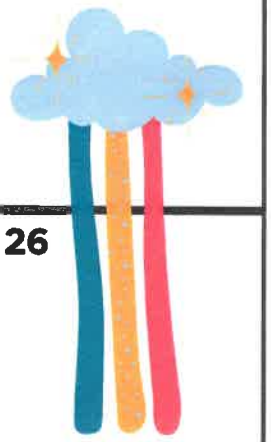
13 	**14** 	**15** **10:30AM** Facebook Live Storytime **7:00PM** Social Justice Book Group for Teens	**16** 	**17** **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime	**18** **10:30AM** Father's Day: Outdoor Storytime & Craft with Ms. Elise	**19** 
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June Programs

*Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise

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Father's Day:
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*Outdoor STEAM Team: Fairytale Engineering

Ms. Pam will tell the story of The Three Billy Goats Gruff and then children will design and a build a solution for the goats to get across the bridge without alerting the troll. Materials will be provided. For ages 4 and up with an adult. 45 mins. Register online.

4th/5th Grade Parent Child Book Group

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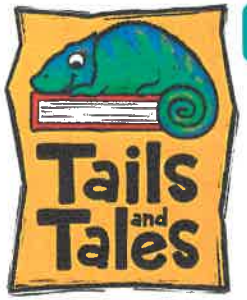
Making Comics with Jarret Lerner on Zoom

Local author-illustrator Jarrett Lerner will give tweens the tools they need to become more confident and capable comics creators.
Jarrett will demonstrate some drawing techniques, will talk about what makes comics work, and will give time for participants to create along with him. This workshop is appropriate for kids new to comics as well as for kids who are further along on their comics-making journey. For ages 10 and up. 30 mins. Register online.

2021 Summer Reading Program



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Sign up at Waylandlibrary.Beanstack.org.
The programs run from June 14th-August 15th.

Take & Make Craft Kits for Kids and Teens

Bring home a Take & Make Craft Kit and create something awesome! Register online for a craft bag then pick it up curbside. Each week there will be a new craft kit for ages 4+ and another for Teens. Registration required.

Meet a Red Panda! Virtual Keeper Chat

Join a zookeeper from the Buttonwood Park Zoo on Zoom for a 20 minute encounter with a red panda. Learn fun facts about red pandas and interview the keeper! For ages 3 and up. Registration online.

*Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise

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Animals in the Forest:
Ms. Elise will read picture books that feature animals that live in the forest.

Birds:
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Meet a Screech Owl! Virtual Keeper Chat

Join a zookeeper from the Buttonwood Park Zoo on Zoom for a 20 minute encounter with a screech owl. Learn fun facts about screech owls and interview the keeper! For ages 3 and up. Register online.

Weekly Hidden Picture Scavenger Hunt

Every week during our Summer Reading Program we will have a scavenger hunt around the library grounds! Stop by, pick up a guide sheet, and search for the hidden animal pictures around the library grounds. You'll also learn some fun facts along the way! Please wear a face mask and maintain social distancing.

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Thursday, July 1 7 p.m.

What, to the American Slave, is Your 4th of July? A Virtual Community Reading Event

As we did last year, we will take turns reading aloud—via Zoom--Frederick Douglass's powerful 1852 speech to the Rochester Ladies' Anti-Slavery Society, followed by discussion and comments by Dr. Tina Ligon of the National Archives and Howard Community College, where she teaches African-American history. If you would like to read, please contact Courtney Michael at cmichael@minlib.net. To simply attend, register on our website under Events. You'll receive the Zoom link via email on Thursday, July 1.

Monday, July 12 7 pm

10 Essentials for Hiking

Calling all hikers, especially newbies! Do you know the 10 essentials that should be in your backpack at all times to keep yourself safe on the trails? Even for a day hike, we have to be prepared and ready, especially for emergencies. Join this fun, hands-on talk with Nancy Wind about packing for your next day hike. In 2015, Nancy founded Peaks and Poses Trail Yoga to combine her love for yoga and the outdoors.

Tuesday, July 17 7 pm

Adult Craft Kit/Tutorial: Agate Painting

Create a beautiful watercolor painting of an agate slice with Lisa Walker of the Pop Up Art School. The technique of wet-on-wet watercolor and salt on wet watercolor paint is easy to learn and fun to do, resulting in a striking piece of art. Sign up for the Zoom link and select a curbside kit pick-up time. Limited to 15 people.

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July 2021 Events for Kids & Teens

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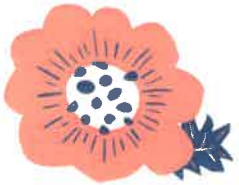
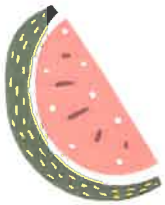
	Take & Make Craft Kits are available for pick up on Mondays or Tuesdays. Register a week ahead for your kit. Supplies limited.			1 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam **3:00PM** Outdoor Craft: Make a Bird Feeder	2	3 Summer Saturdays Open 10AM-1PM
4	5 **Library Closed**	6	7 **3:00PM** Bugs & Insects: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	8 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam **3:30PM** Virtual Creepy Critters with Joy Marzolf	9 **3:00PM** Outdoor Craft: Woven Yarn Butterflies	10
11 	12 **2:30PM** Outdoor Craft: Make a Dinosaur Skeleton	13 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly **4:00PM** Teens Cooking Green: Blueberry Hand Pies	14 **3:00PM** Dinosaurs: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	15 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam **3:30PM** Meet & Greet: Reptiles on Zoom	16	17
18	19	20 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly **3:00PM** Meet Clown Fish and other Sea Creatures! Virtual Keeper Chat	21 **3:00PM** Sea Creatures: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	22 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam **3:00PM** Outdoor Craft: Make a Carp Windsock	23	24
25	26	27 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	28 **3:00PM** Magical Creatures: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	29 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam **4:00PM** Virtual Ocean Tides Wall Hanging Craft for Teens with Mandy Roberge	30	31 For programs that require registration, visit our Events Calendar at waylandlibrary.org

2021 Summer Reading Program

Programs for Pre-K, Kids, and Teens

The theme for the 2021 Summer Reading Program is "Tails and Tales". We are excited to bring you a summer full of fun crafts, programs, and activities about all sorts of animals! Participants can sign up for our online program, Beanstack, to track reading and earn virtual badges for participating in online and outdoor activities. There will also be raffle prizes. Kids who sign up will get a goody bag! Teens can sign up for the teen program and earn raffle tickets towards prizes. The programs run from June 14th-August 15th. Sign up at Waylandlibrary.Beanstack.org.

Take & Make Craft Kits for Kids and Teens

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Weekly Hidden Picture Scavenger Hunt

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*Outdoor Craft: Make a Bird Feeder

Children will make and decorate simple bird feeders out of milk/juice cartons. For ages 4 and up. Registration required.

*Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise

As a part of our Summer Reading Program Tails & Tales, Ms. Elise will read picture books featuring our Animals of the Week. See the list of July featured animals below. For ages 4 and up with an adult. Register online. 45 mins.

- Bugs & Insects
- Dinosaurs
- Sea Creatures
- Magical Creatures

Creepy Critters with Joy Marzolf

How do you move if you don't have legs? Hiss without using your mouth? Eat by using a built-in straw? Learn about some of the strange and creepy critters from our wild and wacky world of animals. Don't miss a visit with some live creepy creatures at the end! Joy Marzolf from The Joys of Nature will lead this Zoom program. For ages 3 and up. Registration required.

*Outdoor Craft: Woven Yarn Butterflies

Join Ms. Carly outdoors to make woven yarn butterflies! For ages 4 and up. Registration required.

*Outdoor Craft: Make a Dinosaur Skeleton

Kids will design and create their own dinosaur skeletons out of pasta! For ages 4 and up. Registration required.

Teens Cooking Green: Blueberry Hand Pies

Let's celebrate Summer! Each participant will make a poppy seed tart dough and fill with local blueberries, to make mini hand-pies. To finish the mini pies off, we will whip some cream and add a dab to each mini hand-pie! This Zoom workshop is led by Kids Cooking Green. For teens ages 11 and up. Registration required.

Meet & Greet: Reptiles on Zoom

Meet and learn about snakes, lizards, turtles, and tortoises! An animal educator from the Roger Williams zoo will introduce you to these amazing reptiles. There will be opportunities for questions! For ages 3 and up. Registration required.

Meet Sea Creatures! Virtual Keeper Chat

Join a zookeeper from the Buttonwood Park Zoo for a 20 minute encounter with jellyfish, clown fish, puffer fish, and seahorses. Learn fun facts about these sea creatures and interview the keeper! For ages 3 and up. Registration required.

*Outdoor Craft: Make a Carp Windsock

Kids will make their own colorful windsocks in the shape of Japanese carp. For ages 4 and up. Registration required.

Ocean Tides Wall Hanging Craft for Teens

Teens can make their own one-of-a-kind Ocean Tides wall hanging! Each participant will receive a kit including a sand dollar, starfish, driftwood. and a glass vial for collecting sand. Use these, and add from your own collection of beach treasures. Workshop led by local artist Mandy Roberge. For teens ages 11 and up. Registration required.

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Join Ms. Pam OUTSIDE for stories, songs, puppets, and activities. This interactive storytime encourages language development, socialization and fun. For ages 2.5 to 5 years, with an adult. Registration required.

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8	9 Adult Craft: Felted Llama 7 pm	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23 Experts in Arthritis 7 pm	24	25	26 Dystopian/Sci-Fi Book Group 7 pm	27	28
29	30	31				

See reverse for details.

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Thursday, August 5 7 pm

Planning for the Fall Garden

Get ready for fall with Casey Doyle of Sustainable Sanctuary. Casey is an agriculture and garden consultant trained as an environmental and sustainable food systems scientist. She specializes in English, Victory, French Potager, and community gardens, as well as soil health management.

Monday, August 9 7 pm

Adult Craft: Felted Llama

Create a whimsical llama (with or without its spectacles) on a piece of wool felt stretched on an embroidery hoop. We'll guide you through the process step by step; you'll find that needle felting is easy and relaxing. Sign up for the Zoom link and select a curbside kit pickup time. Limit 15 people. Ages 16+.

Latest Staff Favorites

Deepa Anappara: *Djinn Patrol on the Purple Line*
Marie Benedict: *Carnegie's Maid*
Melanie Benjamin: *The Children's Blizzard*
Lou Berney: *The Long and Faraway Gone*
Jeanine Cummins: *American Dirt*
Lucy Foley: *The Guest List*
Lauren Fox: *Send for Me*
Stephen Fry: *Mythos**
Kristin Hannah: *High Winds*
Kristin Harmel: *The Book of Lost Names*
Grady Hendrix: *Horrorstor*
Suleika Jaouad: *Between Two Kingdoms*
Alka Joshi: *The Henna Artist*
Stephen Graham Jones: *Night of the Mannequins*
Marjan Kamali: *The Stationery Shop*
Andrea Lee: *Red Island House*
Valerie Martin: *I Give It to You*
Lydia Millet: *A Children's Bible*
Cho Nam-joo: *Kim Jiyoung, Born 1982*
Maggie O'Farrell: *Hamnet*
Sarah Penner: *The Lost Apothecary*
Kate Quinn: *The Rose Code*
Taylor Jenkins Reed: *Malibu Rising*
Rebecca Roanhorse: *Black Sun**
Amber Ruffin: *You'll Never Believe....**
Ellen Marie Wiseman: *The Orphan Collector*
* recommended in audio, too

Monday, August 23 7 pm

Experts in Arthritis: Dr. Barbara Viens

Learn the latest ways to manage pain and fatigue, how to actively manage your disease, and the importance of nutrition and exercise in treating arthritis. Barbara Viens DNP, RN, NEA-BC, ONC has close to 30 years of nursing experience, and is certified as an orthopedic nurse.

Wednesday, September 8, 15, 22, 29 6 pm

ASL Basics Class, Part 2

Classes are 45 minutes. Registration begins August 4. Limit 20. Part 1 will be offered again in October.

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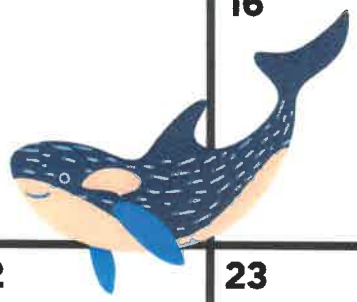
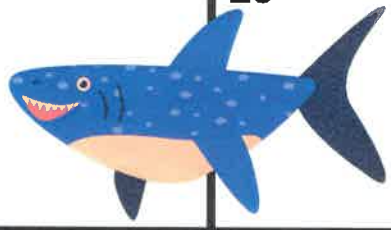
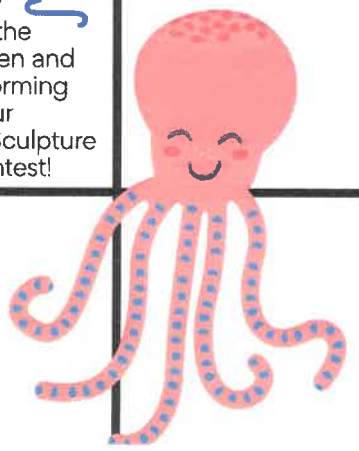
15 	16	17 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	18 **3:00PM** Zoo Tales: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	19	20	21
22	23	24 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	25 	26	27 Visit the new sculpture in the Library Garden and start brainstorming names for our upcoming "Sculpture Naming" contest!	28 
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Outdoor Craft: Make a House for your Stuffy

Children will design and build houses for their stuffies out of carboard boxes and other recyclables. For ages 4 and up. Registration required.

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5 Closed Labor Day Weekend	6 Closed Labor Day Weekend	7	8 ASL Basics, Pt. 2 6 pm	9	10	11
12	13	14 Re-Entry: Manage Stress 7 pm	15 ASL Basics, Pt. 2 6 pm	16 Juliette Fay Book Launch at W Gallery 7 pm	17	18
19	20	21 Meet the Filmmaker: *Alice's Ordinary People* 7 pm	22 ASL Basics, Pt. 2 6 pm National Book Festival 7 pm	23 Poetry Workshop 2 pm	24 Great Decisions 9:30 am How to Prepare for Climate Change 2 pm	
26	27	28	29 ASL Basics, Pt. 2 6 pm	30		

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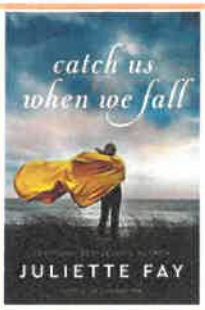
Tuesday, September 14 7 p.m.

Re-Entry: Manage Stress, Preserve the Calm

Marci Zieff will guide you through some simple and effective meditation techniques that reduce stress and keep you calm, centered, and focused. They can be part of a 5-10-minute daily routine to maintain health and well-being. Marci is the founder of Creating Calm, LLC, a holistic healing and wellness practice for all ages.



Thursday, September 16 7 p.m.

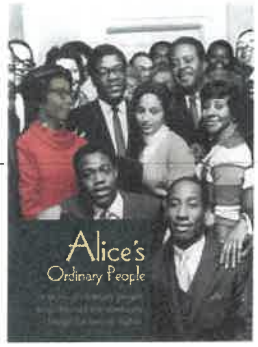
Juliette Fay Book Launch at W Gallery

Wayland resident Fay is the bestselling author of six novels. Her latest, *Catch Us When We Fall*, is a heartbreaking and humorous story of human connectedness and hope. Celebrate its publication with Juliette at an in-person event at the W Gallery at 57 Andrew Avenue in Wayland. If you're not vaccinated, please wear a mask.

Tuesday, September 21 7 p.m.

Meet the Filmmaker: *Alice's Ordinary People*

Craig Dudnick's film, *Alice's Ordinary People*, tells the story of Chicago-area activist Alice Tregay, whose life and work reflect the story of the civil rights movement and emphasize the essential work of "ordinary people" towards change. You can watch the film through Kanopy, a streaming movie service free to Wayland Library cardholders, then join us for the conversation with Craig. Look for the Kanopy logo at waylandlibrary.org.



Wednesday, September 22 7 p.m.

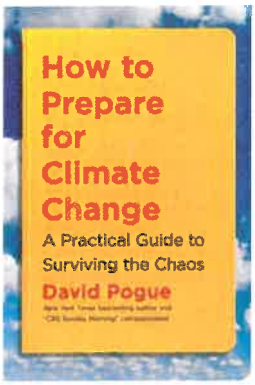
National Book Festival: Isabel Wilkerson Watch Party & Conversation

Watch: Pulitzer Prize-winner Isabel Wilkerson, author of *Caste,* in a video recorded for the NBF. **Participate:** in a conversation led by former Massachusetts state representative Byron Rushing and Prof. Roopika Risam of Salem State U. *This is a Library of Congress/ National Book Festival event with virtual conversation made possible by the Massachusetts Center for the Book in collaboration with the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.*

Friday, September 24 2 p.m.

How to Prepare for Climate Change

Bestselling author and *CBS Sunday Morning* science and technology correspondent David Pogue discusses his latest book, a practical and comprehensive guide to surviving the greatest disaster of our time. *Sponsored by the Massachusetts Library System.*



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12	13	14 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	15	16	17 Last day to submit suggestions to the Sculpture Naming Contest! Voting begins on Monday	18 **11:00 AM** Outdoor Family Concert
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September Events

Library Card Sign-Up Month

September is Library Card Sign-Up Month! Kids who register for their FIRST library card this month will get a prize. We will also have an outdoor scavenger hunt where all kids can search for favorite book characters, as well as a bingo sheet that celebrates libraries!

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Outdoor Family Concert

Join local musician Thomas Meunier for an outdoor family concert! He will get everyone singing with his repertoire of original songs and old favorites. We will meet on the green lawn behind the library. A great way to reconnect with friends at the beginning of the school year! For all ages. 60 mins. Register online for updates.

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10	11 CLOSED for Indigenous Peoples Day	12	13 ESOL Tutor Training 6 pm ASL Basics 6 pm	14 Adult Craft: Pumpkin Ornament 4 pm Cookbook Club 6:30 pm	15 Great Decisions 9 am	16
17 King Philip's War Panel Discussion 2:30 pm	18 Social Justice Book Group 7 pm	19 Author Talk: Anders Morley 7:30 pm	20 ESOL Tutor Training 6 pm ASL Basics 6 pm	21 Poetry Workshop 2 pm	22	23
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Thursday, October 7 7 pm

Author Talk: Dr. Kate Clifford Larson

Join bestselling author Larson as she discusses her latest book, *Walk with Me: A Biography of Fannie Lou Hamer*. Based on previously untouched archival records and interviews with Hamer's fellow activists, *Walk with Me* is the most comprehensive biography of one of the most important civil rights leaders of the 1960s-70s.

Wednesday, October 6, 13, 20, and 27 6-6:45 p.m.

ASL Signing Basics

Learn basic phrases and vocabulary from an American Sign Language instructor, live via Zoom. A four-session course limited to 20 students.

Thursday, October 14 4 p.m.

Adult Craft: Pumpkin Ornament

Create a cute pumpkin ornament using an upcycled sweater! Do it on your own, or join us on Zoom to learn and craft together. Register by Monday, October 11th for a kit and a day to pick it up. The kit includes instructions and all materials, including sweater scrap. You provide glue (Elmers, Mod Podge, or a hot glue gun) and scissors. Limit 20 people.

Sunday, October 17 2:30 - 4 p.m.

The Public History of King Philip's War: A Panel Discussion

"The Sudbury Fight," "King Philip's Woods," "Metacomet Way." What comes to mind when you hear these terms and place names? What really was King Philip's War and how do we understand its significance in our history? A panel comprising Native American and white scholars will discuss the war's history and impact, how it's been remembered through memorials and markers, and recent efforts to center a Native perspective in our public memory of King Philip's War.

Tuesday, October 19 7:30 pm

Author Talk: Anders Morley

One winter in his early thirties, Anders Morley decided to cross-country ski across Canada alone, a journey he chronicles in *This Land of Snow: A Journey Across the North in Winter*. Along the way, his clear, subtle, and self-deprecating voice explores the dichotomy between wildness and refinement, language and personal story, journey and home.

Ongoing: Evening Book Group (10/4); Needlework/Handwork (10/6); ESOL Tutor Training (10/6, 13, 20, 27); Poetry Workshop (10/7, 21); Noon Book Group (10/8); Cookbook Club (10/14); Great Decisions (10/15); Social Justice Book Group (10/18)

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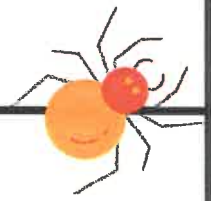
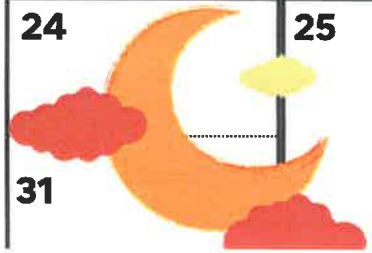
3 	4	5 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	6 **4:00PM** Pokémon Card Trading Day	7 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam	8	9
10	11 **Indigenous Peoples Day** **Library Closed**	12 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	13 **3:00PM** The Sun and Daytime: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	14 **10:00AM** Outdoor Autumn Songfest with Jeannie Mack	15	16
17	18 Newspaper Witch Take & Make Craft for Kids; Leaf Zombies Take & Make Craft for Teens	19 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly **7:00PM** 4th/5th Grade Book Group on Zoom	20 **3:00PM** Celebrate Fall: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	21 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam **4:00PM** Teen Advisory Board Meeting	22	23
24  31	25	26 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	27 **3:00PM** Halloween Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	28 **9:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam	29	30

October Events

Join us for our annual Pumpkin Decorating Contest! Register for a library pumpkin or use your own to compete for Best Decorated or Best Carved in your age group (Kids, Teens or Adults). Contestants will submit pictures of their creations by 10/25 then voting will take place online. Visit us at waylandlibrary.org for more details!

Spooky Take & Make Craft Kit for Kids & Teens

Sign up for a Take & Make Craft Kit! This month we are offering a Newspaper Witch Craft Kit for Kids and a Leaf Zombie Craft Kit for Teens. Online registration opens October 4 and kits can be picked up on Monday October 18 from our curbside service. Register for each child separately. See online for more details.

Pokémon Card Trading Day

First ever Pokémon card trading day at the library! Come with cards you are willing to trade. We will meet on the green lawn behind the library. This event is weather permitting. For ages 7 to 11. Register online.

Outdoor Autumn Songfest with Jeannie Mack

Jeannie Mack will lead this autumn-themed songfest just in time to usher in the 2021 Halloween season! Come sing, clap along and act out autumn-themed stories with your hands and fingers. And if you promise not to be too scared, we'll also include some spooky songs and rhymes about tickly spiders, jack-o-lanterns, silly witches, and trick-or-treating. For children ages 2 and up with caregiver. Register online. *This event is weather permitting. Rain date is Thursday, October 28 at 10 am.*

4th/5th Grade Book Group on Zoom

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders. We will discuss *Save Me a Seat* by Sarah Weeks and Gita Varadarajan. We will meet online via Zoom. Register online.

Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Pam

Join Ms. Pam outdoors for stories, songs, puppets, and activities. This interactive storytime encourages language development, socialization and fun. For ages 2.5 to 5 years, with an adult. Register online for updates.

Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly

Children and their caregivers will listen to stories, sing songs, and perform fun rhymes and movements. For babies through preschool age children, with caregivers. Register online for updates.

Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise

Join Ms. Elise for three afternoon storytimes. Each week she will read books about a different theme. For ages 4 and up with an adult. Register online for updates.

Teen Advisory Board Meeting

Teens! We want to hear from you! What kinds of library programs would you enjoy? What kinds of materials and services would you like from your public library? Come to our first Teen Advisory Board meeting of the year and let us know. We will also talk about our favorite books and movies of the summer and there will be free ARC's (advance reader's copies) of books. We will meet in the Teen Loft upstairs in the mezzanine.

PLAY! Kits for Toddlers and Preschoolers

The Children's Room is now circulating themed Play! Kits to check out and enjoy at home with your toddlers and preschoolers. Each kit contains 6 to 7 new books, an educational toy, and a song sheet. There is also a tip sheet for using the items in the kit to engage children in the five early literacy skill practices: Reading, Talking, Singing, Writing, and Playing. Kits circulate for 2 weeks and must be returned to the Children's Room. Limit is one kit per family.

The PLAY! Kits are brought to you by the Mind in the Making Grant, federal funds provided by the Institute of Museum and Library Services and administered by the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners.

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November 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31	1 Evening Book Group 7 pm featuring Juliette Fay!	2 Great Presenters: The Existential Threat of A.I. Cyberwarfare 7:30 pm	3 Needlework / Handwork 10 am	4 Poetry Workshop 2 pm Dystopian/Sci Fi Book Group 7 pm	5	6
7 Wayland Women Warriors 2 pm	8	9	10	11 Veteran's Day: Library Closed Cookbook Club 6:30 pm	12 Noon Book Group	13
14	15 Social Justice Book Group 7 pm	16 Domestic Violence and Human Rights 7 pm	17	18 Poetry Workshop 2 pm	19	20
21	22	23	24 6 pm Closing	25 Thanksgiving: Library Closed	26 Library Closed	27
28	29	30				

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Great Presenters

Tuesday, Nov. 2 7:30 pm

The Emerging Threat of AI Cyberwarfare

Every day, there's an attack somewhere in the world on the digital infrastructure that we rely on for practically everything in our lives. But "ThreatTech" is just beginning to exploit the enormous power of artificial intelligence, exponentially increasing the destructive power of sophisticated nefarious human actors. John Landry, a 40+-year leader in the software industry, takes us on a deep dive into new world cyberwar and cybercrime – what it is, why it is so important, and what we can do to defend against it.

Sunday, Nov. 7 2 pm

Wayland Women Warriors

Meet the first women to enlist in the United States military, including three from Wayland. Called Yeomen(F) (F for female) in the Naval Reserve Force, these pioneers were also the first generation of women to achieve full voting rights. Their accomplishments and struggles set the stage for today's world. Presenter Jane Sciacca of the Wayland Historical Society has provided many programs for the Society and the National Park Service.

Tuesday, Nov. 16 7 pm

Domestic Violence and Human Rights

Although domestic violence is often seen as physical abuse, it includes forms of coercion designed to deprive the victim of basic human rights and liberties. Join us for a discussion with Wayland experts on this important issue. Presented by the Town of Wayland Human Rights, Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Committee with co-sponsorship from the Library, the Lauren Dunne Astley Memorial Fund, the Sudbury Wayland Lincoln Domestic Violence Roundtable, and Survivors of Abuse Rising (SOAR) for Justice.

Throughout the month in the Raytheon Room

Sudbury Valley Nature Photographers (Belated) 25th Anniversary Exhibit

Originally scheduled for November 2020, this show features the work of 14 photographers.

Evening Book Group (11/1); Needlework/Handwork (11/3); Dystopian/Sci-Fi Book Group (11/4); Poetry Workshop (11/4, 18); Cookbook Club (11/11); Noon Book Group (11/12); Social Justice Book Group (11/15)

The Library will be closed Nov. 11 for Veterans Day and Nov. 25-26 for Thanksgiving.

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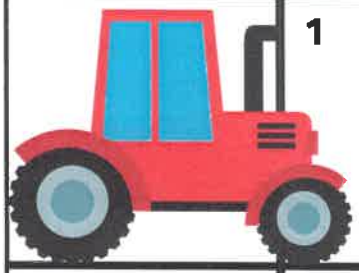
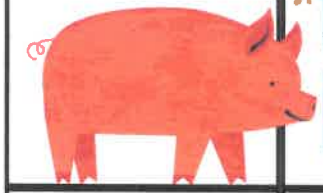
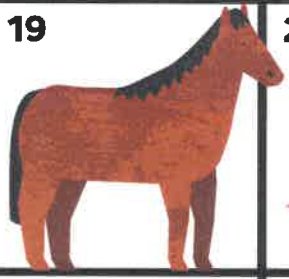
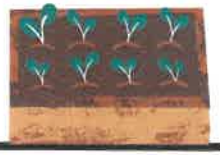
	1	2 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	3 **4:00PM** Pokémon Card Trading Day	4 **9:30AM** Storytime with Obie the Dog	5 **4:30PM** Magic the Gathering: Teen Game Night	6
7	8	9 **10:30AM** Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly	10 **3:00PM** Enjoy Being Outside: Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise	11 **Library Closed**	12	13
14 	15 Kids Take & Make Craft: Owl Collage Teens Take & Make Craft: Pinecone Creatures	16 **10:30AM** Indoor Storytime with Ms. Carly* **4:30PM** TAB Meeting: Candy Bar Bingo **7:00PM** 4th/5th Grade Book Group on Zoom	17 **3:00PM** Spooky Storytime with Ms. Elise*	18 **9:30AM** Indoor Storytime with Ms. Pam*	19 	20
21	22 	23 **10:30AM** Indoor Storytime with Ms. Carly*	24 **3:00PM** Thanksgiving Storytime with Ms. Elise* **Library Closing 6:00PM**	25 **Library Closed**	26 **Library Closed**	27
28	29	30 **10:30AM** Indoor Storytime with Ms. Carly*	*Attendance limited. Registration required. See reverse for more details.	Check out a literacy PLAY! Kit from the Children's Room! See reverse for more details.		

November Events

Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Carly

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Storytime with Obie the Dog

Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Obie, a beautiful Samoyed. Obie will be accompanied with his owner Helen. We will meet on the green lawn behind the library. For ages 3 and up, with an adult. This event is weather permitting.

Magic the Gathering: Teen Game Night

Teens! Play Magic the Gathering with your friends! Bring your own Magic Cards or use ours. Experienced players and newbies welcome. For teens in grades 6 and up. Please register here.

Outdoor Storytime with Ms. Elise

Elise will read picture books that celebrate spending time outdoors. For ages 4 and up with an adult. This event is weather permitting. Register online for updates.

Take & Make Craft Kits for Kids and Teen

Sign up for a Take & Make Craft Kit! This month we are offering an Owl Collage Craft Kit for Kids and a Pinecone Creatures Craft Kit for Teens. Online registration opens November 1 and kits can be picked up on Monday November 15 from our curbside service. Register for each child separately. See online for more details.

Indoor Storytimes will take place in the library's Round Room on the main level. Attendance is limited. Masks must be worn by everyone ages 2+. Registration required!

Indoor Storytime with Ms. Carly*

Join Ms. Carly in the library for storytime! Children and their caregivers will listen to stories, sing songs, and perform fun rhymes and movements. For babies through preschool age children, with caregivers. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Carly at cmoniz@minlib.net.*

TAB Meeting: Candy Bar Bingo

Teens! Join us for this month's Teen Advisory Board Meeting and win candy bars while playing Bingo with your friends. We'll brainstorm ideas for the library programs YOU want and talk more about how to decorate the Teen Loft. We will meet in the Teen Loft upstairs in the mezzanine. For teens in grades 6-12.

4th/5th Grade Book Group on Zoom

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders. We will discuss *Clean Getaway* by Nic Stone. We will meet at the library in the Teen Loft. Register online.

Spooky Storytime with Ms. Elise*

Feeling a fall chill? Ms. Elise will read spooky picture books in this storytime. For ages 4 and up with an adult. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net.*

Indoor Storytime with Ms. Pam*

Join Ms. Pam for stories, songs, puppets, and activities. This interactive storytime encourages language development, socialization and fun. For ages 2.5 to 5 years, with an adult. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net.*

Thanksgiving Storytime with Ms. Elise*

Elise will read picture books about being thankful and about Thanksgiving. For ages 4 and up with an adult. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net.*

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5 Wayland Center Holiday Open House 2 pm	6 Evening Book Group 7 pm	7 Great Presenters: Barbara Grad Paintings 7:30 pm	8	9 Craft: Rope Wreath 3 pm Cookbook Club 6:30 pm Travels with Joy Viola 7 pm	10 Noon Book Group	11
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Thursday, December 2 7 pm

Sugar and Spice: A Gingerbread History

In early America, ginger was considered a sign of wealth because it had to be imported. Not until after Christmas became a national holiday in 1870 did gingerbread become associated with American Yuletide. Cookbook author Clara Silverstein of Historic Newton will show how recipes have changed over time and offer a historic recipe to try at home.

Sunday, December 5 2 pm

Wayland Center Holiday Open House

Enjoy the festivities at the Grout-Heard House, the Depot, Arts Wayland's W Gallery, First Parish—and the Library! Take home something festive to read/watch/listen to, and don't miss the story in our windows.

Tuesday, December 7 7:30 pm

Great Presenters: Homegrown—Paintings by Barbara Grad

Barbara earned a BFA and MFA from the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, and is a Professor Emeritus, MCAD. She'll discuss the painting process, influences on her works, and the nuances of color and line to develop a dialogue. As a founding member of one of the first women's art collaboratives in America, she can also comment on challenges she faced as a woman artist exhibiting in galleries and museums.

Thursday, December 9 3 pm

Adult Craft: Braided Nautical Rope Wreath

We'll meet in person in the Raytheon Room. Masks are required. If you prefer to participate from home via Zoom, check the box on the registration form. Note: this craft requires a hot glue gun. Registration required. Age 13+. Limit 15 people. Rope, wire wreath form, ribbon/decorations, glue gun and glue provided.

Thursday, December 9 7 pm

Author Talk: *From Schnitzel to Nockerln* with Joy Viola

With her late husband, Alfred, Wayland resident Viola traveled by horseback, zodiac, combi, tundra buggy, and small aircraft to photograph and write about the natural world on all seven continents. They came face to face with a polar bear, dined with sheikhs, and put more than 2,300 species on their birder's life lists.

Ongoing: Needlework/Handwork (12/1); Poetry Workshop (12/2, 16); Evening Book Group (12/6); Cookbook Club (12/9); Noon Book Group (12/10); Dystopian/SF Book Group (12/16); Social Justice Book Group (12/20)

The Library will be closed on December 24, 25, and 31, and January 1.

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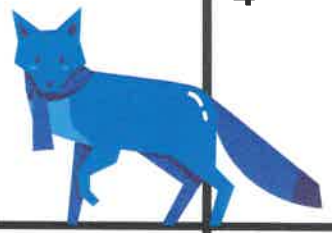
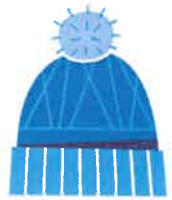
	Check out our 2021 Holiday Gift Guide! Available online or at the circulation desk.		**1** **4:00PM** Pokémon Card Trading Day	**2** **10:30AM** Storytime with Ms. Pam	**3** 	**4**
5 **2:00PM** Wayland Center Holiday Open House, including Story Walk: *A Story for Small Bear* outside the library through December	**6**	**7** **10:30AM** Storytime with Ms. Carly **4:15PM** Teen Advisory Board Meeting: Winter Craft	**8** **3:00PM** Lego Club	**9** **10:30AM** Storytime with Ms. Pam	**10**	**11** 
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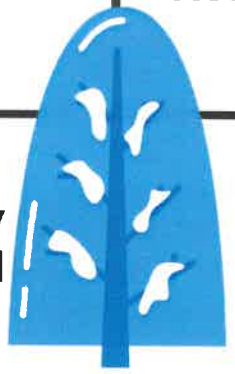
19	**20**	**21** **10:30AM** Storytime with Ms. Carly	**22** **3:00PM** Winter Holiday Stories with Ms. Elise	**23** **10:30AM** Storytime with Ms. Pam	**24** **Library Closed**	**25** **Library Closed** 
26	**27**	**28**	**29**	**30**	**31** **Library Closed**	

December Events

Attendance for indoor programming is limited. Registration required! Masks must be worn by everyone ages 2+.

Story Walk: A Story for Small Bear

Families are invited to walk around the outside of the library and read the Story Walk of *A Story for Small Bear* by Alice McGinty. The Story Walk will be hung in the windows of the library throughout the month of December. This is event is part of the Wayland Center Holiday Open House celebration. See online for more details.

Pokémon Card Trading Day

Pokémon card trading day at the library! Come with cards you are willing to trade! We will meet in the Raytheon Room. For ages 7 to 11. Registration is REQUIRED. We are limiting to 15 children.

Storytime with Ms. Pam

Join Ms. Pam for stories, songs, puppets, and activities. This interactive storytime encourages language development, socialization and fun. For ages 2.5 to 5 years, with an adult. We will meet in the Round Room on the main floor of the library. Registration required. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net.*

Storytime with Ms. Carly

Join Ms. Carly for storytime! Children and their caregivers will listen to stories, sing songs, and perform fun rhymes and movements. For babies through preschool age children, with caregivers. We will meet in the Round Room on the main floor of the library. Registration required. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Carly at cmoniz@minlib.net.*

TAB Meeting: Winter Craft

Teens! Join us for this month's Teen Advisory Board Meeting and make a winter craft to bring home. We'll brainstorm ideas for the library programs YOU want and talk more about what you'd like in the Teen Space. We will meet in the Teen Loft upstairs in the mezzanine. For teens in grades 6-12. Register online.

LEGO Club

Children will make fabulous creations out of LEGOS. This month's theme: Wacky Buildings! We will meet in the Raytheon Room. For ages 5 years and up, with caregivers. Registration required.

Take & Make Craft Kits for Kids and Teen

Sign up for a Take & Make Craft Kit! This month we are offering a Penguin in the Snow Craft Kit for Kids and a Mini Yarn Hat Craft Kit for Teens. Online registration opens November 29 and kits can be picked up on Monday December 13 from our curbside service. Register for each child separately. See online for more details.

4th/5th Grade Book Group

This book discussion group is for 4th and 5th graders. We will discuss *No Talking* by Andrew Clements. We will meet upstairs in the Teen Space. Register online.

Hibernation and Sleep: Stories with Ms. Elise

What does a bear do all winter? Ms. Elise will read picture books about hibernation and sleep during this storytime. We will meet in the Raytheon Room. For ages 4 and up, with caregivers. Registration required. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net.*

Storytime with Obie the Dog

Children will listen to dog stories and have a chance to visit with Obie, a beautiful Samoyed. Obie will be accompanied with his owner Helen. We will meet in the Raytheon Room. For ages 3 and up, with an adult. Registration required.

Winter Holiday Stories with Ms. Elise

Ms. Elise will read picture books about celebrating the winter holidays. We will meet in the Raytheon Room. For ages 4 and up, with caregivers. Registration required. *If you would like to view this storytime from home via Zoom please contact Pam at pmccuen@minlib.net.*